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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
YOSHIHIDE NAGAFUCHI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: HARLAN, R.  
SERIAL NO: 10/540,265 :  
FILED: JUNE 23, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1796  
FOR: VINYL POLYMER, PROCESS FOR :  
PRODUCING VINYL POLYMER,  
THERMOSETTING COATING  
COMPOSITION, AND COATING  
MATERIAL

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 28, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.